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G.O. No 596

Dated 10.3.49

[Despatch Abstract.]

IRRIGATION : MINOR : BUDGET ALLOTMENT : PROGRESS OF EXPENDITURE OCTOBER 1948 : REVIEW : RECORDED.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT

Subject

IRRIGATION - Minors - Budget allotment - Progress of expenditure - October 1948 - Review.

Station: Chepuak, Madras. Ref: No.G.8092/48.1 Dated 13th December 1948

From

C.A. Ramakrishnan, Esq., I.C.S.,
Joint Secretary, Board of Revenue.

V-N. Kudva, Esq., C.I.E., I.C.S.,
Commissioner of Land Revenue, Excise and Prohibition.

READ - Statements from Collectors.

REFERENCE:

The Board submits to Government a statement showing the progress of expenditure under "18. Irrigation - Works - Maintenance and Repairs and Flood repairs" for the month of October 1948, in all districts, except Vizagapatam, Nellore and Kurnool. The progress in the excepted districts will be reported to Government on receipt of reports from the Collectors of these districts.

Progress is good in the districts of Mathurai, Chingleput, Tiruchirappalli, North Arcot, South Arcot and Coimbatore, satisfactory in Chittoor, Tirunelveli and Salem, fair in Cuddapah and Guntur, slow in West Godavari, Krishna, Anantapur and Tanjore and continues to be poor in East Godavari, Bellary and Ramnad. It coninues to be nil in South Kanara and Malabar. The Collectors of East Godavari, West Godavari and Bellary alone have attributed the slow progress in the districts to the non-execution of works due to recent rains and the presence of water in the irrigation sources. None of the Collectors of the reamining districts, where the progress is slow and poor, have accounted for the deterioration in this most important branch of work. The slackness on the part of the Collectors is deplorable, especially in these days of acute food shortage. The attention of the Collectors is again invited to paragraph 2 of the Board's Ref: G.7301/48-1 dated the 9th November 1948. They should bestow their special attention on this branch of work and see that the progress is upto the mark from the next month forwards. The minor irrigation staff and other officers subordinate to the Collectors, who are found slack, should be pulled up, and called on to discharge their duties in this branch of work promptly and efficiently.

3. Statement "B" shows the progress made in the preparation of estimates and in the execution of Minor Irrigation works in all the districts except Nellore, and Kurnool. The progress in the preparation of estimates is still poor in East Godavari. It is fair in Vizagapatam Guntur, Cuddapah, Chingleput, South Arcot, Mathurai, Tirunelveli, Ramnad and Salem and good in West Godavari, Krishna, Anantapur, Bellary, Chittoor North Arcot, Tanjore, Tiruchirappalli and Coimbatore. The progress in the completion of works is not satisfactory except in the districts of West Godavari, Krishna and Coimbatore. The attention of the Collectors is invited to paragraph 3 of the Board's Ref: G.7301/48-1 dated 9th November 1948 and they are requested to bear in mind the observations made therein and show better progress in the next month.

Sd/. for Joint Secretary.

the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Madras. (paras 1 - 3 only with two statements.
the Collectors of all Districts, except, Madras, the Nilgiris, Vizagapatam, Nellore and Kurnool (paras 2 and 3 only).
the Collectors of Vizagapatam (para 4 only)
the Collectors of Nellore and Kurnool (para 5 only).

Statement showing the progress of expenditure for the month of October 1948 (Minor Irrigation Works)

District	Total allotment under works M.I. and F.R.	Progressive expenditure upto Septr. 1948	Expenditure during Octr.48	Progressive expenditure upto Oct. 1948	Balance Col.(2) minus Col.(5)	% of expenditure
-1-	-2-	-3-	-4-	-5-	-6-	-7-
Vizagapatam	132900/	20626/8	2684/	23310/8	109590/8	18
East Godavari	154300/	12275	1175	13450	140850	8.7
West Godavari	62450	18235	1655	19890	42560	31.8
Krishna	109000	15798	18268	34066	74934	31
Guntur	175250	58270	8383	66653	108597	38
Nellore	185000	21037	3860	24897	160103	13.4
Cuddapah	130000	29474/1/4	20901/4	50325/5/8	79674/10/4	29.7
Anantapur	140000/	34217/10	7357/7	41575/10	98424/15	29.7
Bellary	139000	5546/4/10	3587/	9133/4/10	129866/11/2	6.5
Kurnool	40650	6980/9	918/2	7898/11	32851/1/5	19
Chittoor	210600	75075	22953	98028	112572	46.5
Chingleput	239700	143561	9353	172914	66786	72.1
North Arcot	402690	223386	8724	262110	140580	65
South Arcot	219300	114089	9624	133713	85857	61
Tanjore	134700	28277	1333	39610	95090	29.4
Tiruchirappalli	142601	69546	5709	95255	47350	66.8
Mathurai	110000	67827	8745	86035	23965	78.2
Ramnad	187500	12322	560	12882	174618	6.9
Tirunelvelly	157600	51896	13803	65699	91901	41.7
Salem	183000	56376/7	18583	74959/7	108040/9	41.
Coimbatore	25000	9340	5314	14654	10346	58
S.Kanara	3000	--	--	--	30000	--
Malabar	56	--	--		--55	--

*Revised figure reported by the Collector.

Statement showing the progress of execution of Minor Irrigation Works upto the end of October 1948.

District	No. of works proposed to be taken up in the year.	No. of works for which estimates have been sanctioned upto the end of October 1948	No. of works completed upto the end of October 1948	No. of works in progress	Remarks.
-1-	-2-	-3-	-4-	-5-	-6-
Vizagapatam	508	333	44	146	
East Godavari	354	31	12	19	
West Godavari	96	91	40	22	
Krishna	41	33	18	9	
Guntur	114	72	21	50	
Nellore					
Cuddapah	61	208	75	106	
[illegible]	58	50	6	26	
Bellary	72	72	7	14	
Kurnool					
Chittoor	92	174	44	92	
Chingleput	377	269	87	182	
North Arcot	12	330	80	202	
South Arcot	439	326	122	191	
Tanjore	120	108	49	60	
Tiruchirapa	149	149	36	113	
Mathurai	217	179	50	129	
Ramnad	40*	24	14	7	
Tirunelveiy	174	132	18	92	
Salem	164	115	51	113	
Coimbatore	50	46	25	15	
South Kanara		-----nil----			
Malabar					

*This excludes 62 works taken up under the Act XVIII of 1943 and shown in the previous statement by mistake.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT

Subject

IRRIGATION - Mi - Budget allotments - Progress of expenditure - Further report - Submitted.

L.Dis.G.No.8092/48 Station: Madras. Dated, 18th January 1949

From

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Joint Secretary, Board of Revenue

V.N. Kudva Esq., C.I.E., I.C.S.,
Commissioner of Land Revenue, Excise and Prohibition

Read: Board's ref: G.No.8092/48-1 dated 13th December 1948
Reports from Collectors.

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In continuation of its reference cited above, the Board submits a statement showing the progress of expenditure for October 1948 in the districts of Vizagapatam, Nellore and Kurnool.

2. The progress of expenditure continues to be very poor in the districts of Vizagapatam Nellore and Kurnool. There is only a short period of about three months in the current financial year and the Collectors have left large amounts ~~unspent~~ unspent till now. They are requested to bestow their special attention to this branch of work and see that all the works taken up for execution during this financial year are completed before the close of the year and the allotments sanctioned to them are fully spent. The expenditure should be spread uniformly at least over these 3 months instead of being incurred mostly in March 1949

Sd/. Joint Secretary.

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department with a statement.
To the Collectors of Vizagapatam,-Nellore and Kurnool - para 2 only.

Statement showing the progress of expenditure for the month of October 1948 (Minor Irrigation Works)

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IRRIGATION -Minor - Budget allotment - Progress of expenditure - October 1948 - Review - Recorded

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Revenue Department

G.O. (Ms) No. 596 Dated, the 10th March 1949

READ - the following:-

From the Board of Revenue, Ref: G.8092/48-1 dated the 13th December 1948 and L.Dis. G-No.8092/48-dated the 18th January 1949

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(By order of His Excellency the Governor)

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To the Board of Revenue.

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